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PRICE TWO CENTS

A SERIOUS CASE

Of Catarrhal Dyspepsia Cured.



IN A DEATH TRAP

Scene of Horror During a Stampede In Birmingham Negro Church.

SEVENTY-EIGHT KILLED

Mistaken Cry of Fire Causes a Wild Rush Which No Power Could Withstand.

Men and Women Swarm Over the Prostrate Bodies of Those Swept From Their Feet.

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Congressman Doviner of West Virginia.

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Booker T. Washington of Tuskegee, W. H. Councill of Normal, Ala., and R. R. Wright of Savannah, Ga., three of the most prominent educators of the race, were on the program to speak and the church was crowded, when suddenly the audience was thrown into a panic by a conflict between two men. There were cries of "fight," "fight," which the assembled throng took for the more terrifying alarm of "fire," and a wild rush ensued for the exits. In the awful crush of humanity seventy-eight persons were killed and as many more seriously injured.

The catastrophe occurred at 9 o'clock, just as Booker T. Washington had concluded his address, and for three hours the scenes around the church were indescribable. Dead bodies were strewn in every direction, and the ambulance service of the city was utterly incapacitated to move them until after 1 o'clock. The church is the largest house of worship for negroes in Birmingham, and the pastor says there were at least 2,000 persons in the edifice when the stampede began.

Just as Booker Washington concluded his address Judge Billou, a negro lawyer from Baltimore, engaged in an altercation with the choir leaders concerning an unoccupied seat, and it is said a blow was struck. Some one in the choir cried "They're fighting." Mistaking the word "fighting" for "fire," the congregation rose en masse and strayed for the door. Men and women crawled over benches, fought their way into the aisles, and those who had fallen were trampled upon like cattle. The ministers tried again and again to stop the stampede, but no power on earth could stay the struggling, fighting mass of humanity. The level of the floor is about fifteen feet from the ground, and long steps led to the sidewalk from the lobby just outside the main auditorium. Brick walls extend on each side of these steps for six or seven feet, and this proved a veritable death trap. Negroes who had reached the top of the steps were pushed violently forward and many fell. Before they could move others fell upon them, and in fifteen minutes persons were piled upon each other to a height of ten feet. This wall of struggling humanity blocked the entrance, and the weight of 1,500 persons was pushed against it. More than twenty persons lying on the steps underneath the heap of bodies died from suffocation.

A squad of police and firemen hastened to the church and finally succeeded in releasing the negroes from their pinioned positions in the entrance. In an hour the church had been practically cleared and the sight which greeted the eyes of those who had come to aid the injured was sickening. Down the aisles and along the outside of the pews, the dead bodies of men and women were strewn and the cries of the maimed and crippled were heartrending. During the stampede Booker T. Washington and several leaders were on the stage and were unwilling witnesses to the frightful catastrophe. None of those in the choir or the pulpit were injured in the least. A remarkable feature of the calamity is that no blood was seen on any of the victims. They were either crushed or died from suffocation.

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Illustration of a dog.

The simplest remedy for indigestion, constipation, biliousness and the many ailments arising from a disordered stomach, liver or kidneys. The bark of the tree acts as a tonic to the heart and their tincture removes the necessity of calling a physician for many diseases.

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Call for Judicial Republican Convention.

The republicans of the forty-second judicial district of the state of Indiana will meet in delegate convention at Paoli, Ind., on Saturday September 27th, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a republican candidate for prosecuting attorney of said district.

The apportionment of delegates will be the same as that applied to the last republican state convention. Jackson county will be entitled to fourteen delegates and fourteen alternates; Orange county will be entitled to eleven delegates and eleven alternates; Washington county will be entitled to eleven delegates and eleven alternates, making the total number of delegates thirty-six; necessary to a choice, nineteen. By order of

W. H. BURKLEY Chairman Jackson County R. C. C.

J. P. THROOP, Chairman Orange County R. C. C.

LEWIS DENNIS, Chairman Washington County R. C. C.

Convention Dates.

The judicial convention will be held at Paoli on Saturday, September 27, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

W. H. BURKLEY, Chr. J. C. R. C. C. E. A. REMY, Secretary.

HON. JOSHUA M. SPENCER, republican candidate for congress, will be at Society Hall tonight.

GO to Society Hall tonight and hear Hon. M. L. Clawson. This will be the opening speech of the campaign in Seymour and it will be a good one.

HON. JOSHUA M. SPENCER, of Ohio county, was nominated at Madison last week by the Republicans at their standard bearers in the fight for Congressional honors. He is regarded as an able debater, and will give his opponent a merry chase.—North Vernon Plain Dealer.

CASTORIA.
See the
Signature
of *Chat H. Fletcher*

COUNTY TICKET NAMED.

By an Enthusiastic Republican Convention at Brownstown.

The Republicans of Jackson County filled the court room at Brownstown today at the largest and most enthusiastic convention ever held in Jackson county.

The convention was called to order at 11 o'clock by County Chairman, W. B. Burkley. Dr. S. W. Draper, of Brownstown, was elected chairman, E. A. Remy, of Seymour, secretary; D. H. Runnels, of Brownstown, and John F. Wright, of Vallonia, assistant secretaries. The chairman made a short address on assuming the gavel, after which the convention adjourned for dinner.

At 1 p. m. the Sixth Regiment band, of Brownstown, met the delegates at the hotel and escorted them to the court room where the convention was reassembled shortly after 1 o'clock. Hon. O. H. Montgomery, chairman of the committee on resolutions made the report and the resolutions as adopted will be published in the next issue of the REPUBLICAN.

The county ticket was then nominated as follows:

Representative—Ben F. Schneck.
Treasurer—Frank Falk.
Recorder—Chas. F. Robertson.
Sheriff—Abe Thicksen.

Coroner—Dr. Virgil Abel.
Surveyor—George Slagle.
Commissioner, 1st District—Herman Brandt.

Commissioner, 3rd District, regular term—Wm. Armbruster.
Commissioner, 3rd District, short term—Halleck Jones.

County council: At large, Harrison Love, L. C. Huffington, John Fox, 1st District Wright Vermilya; 2nd District, Ed Lester, 3rd District, J. T. Pruden; 4th District, J. H. Hodapp.

After the nominations Joshua M. Spencer, candidate for congress from the Fourth district and Daniel E. Storms, candidate for secretary of state, delivered stirring addresses after which the convention adjourned.

POLITICAL GOSSIP.

Hon. M. L. Clawson, one of Indiana's most brilliant and entertaining orators, will speak at Society Hall at 7:30 tonight. Come out and hear him.

Congressman Griffith dropped in last night to hear Shively speak. He took a little whirl on the platform himself but created mighty little enthusiasm.

B. F. Shively, the leader of Bryanism in Indiana, spoke at Armory Hall last night to a fair sized crowd. He made a characteristic democratic speech, that is to be proclaimed against everything that is.

Our candidate for congress, Hon. Joshua M. Spencer, of Rising Sun, will attend the county convention today and tonight he will attend the opening meeting of the campaign in Seymour at Society Hall.

BUSINESS NOTES.

A. R. Vogel made a business trip to Cincinnati this morning.

Adolph Bauer is here from Chicago looking after business matters.

Capt. J. C. McKelvey came home from a business trip to New Albany last evening.

THE PERPETUAL LIGHT.

Remarkable Lamp in Louisiana That Never Goes Out.

"The most remarkable lamp in this section of the country," said a man who cruises a great deal along the coast to the New Orleans Times-Democrat, "is to be found in the water area between Lake Borgne and Mississippi sound in a lonely, desolate, isolated spot, where the fall of human feet and the dip of oars are heard only four times a year.

"The light is some distance this side of Bay St. Louis and is a little south of Chincubia. It stands away out in the marsh, but can be seen from the Louisville and Nashville railroad. It burns all the time, day and night, year in and year out. It flickers away for the benefit of the mariners who frequent these waters. It is the perpetual light. The sun, the moon and stars may come and go, but the light which shines out in the dismal marsh is always the same. It is the one bright thing in a rather dismal stretch of country. Seaweeds grow wild and rank in that region. The land, such as one may see from a railroad train, is flat and treeless waste. It is without any cheerful aspect, low, gloomy, overhung by miasmic mist and a perfect prairie of wild and matted weeds of the kind which flourish in marshy regions. It is threaded by sluggish arms of water.

"Once every three months this lamp is visited by a human being. It is filled with oil, trimmed up and put in condition to burn for three months longer. Thus it is visited four times a year. It is situated so that the winds cannot put it out. It renders good service, never explodes, never goes out, never gets dimmer or brighter, but burns with the same steady power all the time. It has earned the name of the Perpetual Light."

Mr. E. R. O'Day—Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I suffered three years with bronchitis and could not sleep at nights. I tried several doctors and various patent medicines, but could get nothing to give me any relief until my wife got a bottle of this valuable medicine, which has completely relieved me—W. S. BROCKMAN, Bagdad, Missouri. This remedy is for all by C. W. Milhous, druggist.

Coroner's Finding.

After viewing the body and examining witnesses I find that Margaret Reedy came to her death by infirmities of age superinduced by chronic diarrhoea and hemorrhage of the bowels.

H. R. KYTE,
Deputy Coroner.

Birthday Anniversary.

Mrs. James Promeroy, gave a party this afternoon in honor of the ninth birthday of her niece, Miss Nina Promeroy.

Engineer Alex Lee and wife left Friday for Iowa to visit friends.

Miss Laura Johnson, of Bedford, came here this morning to visit friends.

Miss Eunice Tabor who has visited here returned to Brownstown today.

Miss Roeger Carter and Miss Anna Carter came home today from Indianapolis.

The Travis Carter Co. this afternoon shipped a car of fine doors, sash and frames to Louisville.

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets & the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

DIED.

OLINGER—Miss Anna Olinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Olinger, of Peter's Switch, died at Indianapolis Friday morning of heart disease. The remains will be brought to Seymour Sunday morning and taken to the home of Mrs. Mary Werning on East Fourth street. Funeral at 2 p. m. Sunday from the Catholic church.

FAGEL—Fred Fagel, of south Poplar street, died Friday night after a prolonged illness. He was about 35 years old and leaves a wife. He came here from Shelbyville several years ago and formerly worked on the Southern Indiana.

JOHNSON—James Johnson died Friday evening of lockjaw at Indianapolis. He was about 35 years old and was injured in a street car accident recently. The remains were brought here this morning and taken to Washington county for burial. His wife and children live here.

GUDGEL—Mrs. Thompson Gudgel, near Mt. Zion, died Saturday morning at 7 o'clock of consumption. She was about 22 years old.

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This name must appear on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in one day. 25 cents.

YOUNG GRANT'S COLT.

The Story of a Purchase That Earned the Boy Much Teasing.

When Ulysses S. Grant was a small boy living in Georgetown, O., he wanted, like most boys, to own a horse, and one particular colt belonging to a man named Ralston he wished especially to have. To indulge the boy's taste and buy the colt his father offered Mr. Ralston \$20, but the owner valued the colt at \$25 and refused the offer, taking the animal home with him.

As the hours passed after the little boy had trotted away with its owner Ulysses' disappointment and eagerness for possession increased, and he finally begged his father to pay the \$25 demanded. His father said that \$20 was all the animal was worth, but since Ulysses desired it so much he might go to Mr. Ralston and offer \$20 again. If, his father added, he could not buy it for \$20, he might offer \$22.50, and if the owner would not let it go for \$22.50 he might, in order to obtain it, give \$25.

Ulysses therefore mounted a horse and set out for Mr. Ralston's. He was at that time probably about eight years old.

When he found the owner, he told him, "Papa says I may offer you \$20 for the colt, but if you won't take that to offer you \$22.50, and if I don't take that to give you \$25."

The eagerness of the boy to gain the horse could not brook any barrier. It is needless to say that he paid \$25 and led the animal home.

Grant said, in writing his memoirs, that the story of this purchase of his got out in the village and it was long before he heard the last of it. The schoolboys delighted in teasing him about it; schoolboys are very often little barbarians for tormenting one another and they did not let Ulysses forget this one instance when he was behind the rest in cleverness.

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SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

Corner of Poplar and Bruce streets, Rev. J. F. Severinghaus, pastor. Sunday school 9 a. m. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Sabbath service, 7:30 p. m. Sabbath League 6:45 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday. League meeting every other week on Thursday evening at 7:45.

EVNG. PROT. ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. Northeast corner of Walnut and Tipton. Morning service, 9:15 a. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. Every first Sunday evening in the month services in German and every third Sunday evening in the English language at 7 o'clock. F. Daries, pastor.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH. Corner of Poplar and Bruce streets, Rev. J. F. Severinghaus, pastor. Sunday school 9 a. m. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday. League meeting every other week on Thursday evening at 7:45.

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH. South Chestnut street, near Brown. Father Conrad, pastor. Services every Sabbath. Low mass 8 a. m. High mass 10 a. m. Catechism 2:30 p. m. Vespers and benediction 3 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH. Corner of Tipton and Lynn streets. Preaching every Sabbath. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Officers meeting Thursday preceding first Sabbath in each month. Business meeting Friday evening preceding the first Sabbath in each month. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening of each week. Rev. David Dehoney, pastor.

CITY MISSION. Ewing street, between Second and Third streets. Services every Sunday at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Services on Tuesday night and on Friday night at 7:30 p. m. each week. Everybody will be made welcome.

DR. GURRISH, President.

Dr. E. T. Fogel, of Hope, will preach Sunday morning, afternoon and evening.

SALISBURY 111.

London, Sept. 19.—The apparent serious illness of Lord Salisbury is announced this morning.

After the Dance.

"I hope you have enjoyed the evening, Miss Oliver."

"Not excessively, Mr. Roland. The men are such wretched dancers. I have had only one really good partner."

"My own experience precisely."

"Yes, Mr. Van Twister is the best dancer I ever saw. There he goes now with Grace Turner. It is a pleasure to watch them, isn't it?"

"Yes; he does very nicely—with a partner like your friend Grace. She is the one 'o' whom I was referring just now."

"So I supposed."—New York Herald.

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CAMPAIGN OPENING.



Hon. M. L. Clawson, of Indianapolis, will speak at Society Hall in Seymour, Saturday, September 20, at 7:30 p.m.

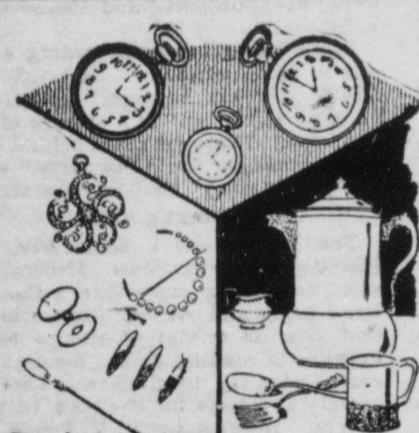
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Coal will advance soon. Winter will come and you will need it. The advance will be pretty big. Cars are scarce now and are getting scarcer every day.

Maybe when you want coal no cars can be secured to ship it.

You can save money by purchasing now, and will run no risk of delay in shipment if you buy of

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, ILLS., September 20, 1902—Showers Sunday and possibly late tonight. Slightly warmer.

Court News.

State vs. Scott Austin, intoxication, before City Judge Wesner. Found guilty and fined \$1 to which costs were added. Total amount assessed against defendant \$10.30.

The case of Anna Slagle vs. Kate Schroeder was tried in the circuit court Friday. The suit was brought to replevin a sideboard, piano, stove and some other articles of furniture, but the case was decided in favor of defendant.

Death from Lockjaw.

James Johnson, who lost his leg in a street car accident two weeks ago, died Friday at the city hospital from lockjaw. For the past five days the sufferer's jaws were tightly closed, and he was given nourishment through a tube. Friday morning he was seized with convulsions, which continued until his death. Johnson leaves a widow and several relatives in Seymour. Indianapolis Journal.

Miss Johnson Wins.

Miss Fay Johnson has received a letter from the Indianapolis Journal informing her that the judges have awarded her first prize in their County History Essay Contest for Jackson County. The judges now take the best essay from each county and determine the prize winners for the state, so that Miss Johnson has a chance to win one of the state prizes.

Printers Union.

Bert G. Brady, of Indianapolis was here yesterday in the interest of organizing a printers union in Seymour. A preliminary meeting was held last night at which Frank Mercer was elected president and Will H. Noecker secretary. Another meeting will be held next week to complete the organization.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson Entertains.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson entertained a party of ladies this afternoon at her home on north Chestnut street in honor of her guests, Mrs. A. S. Johnson, of St. Louis, and Miss Aloise Tabb, of Paris Crossing.

Bucker Shavings.

Best kindling on earth \$1.00 per load. Leave orders at H. F. WHITE'S, 20d.

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At Suckeroad factory.

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The legislature which meets next January will be asked to repeal the city officials, two year law and change it to four years again. Every city in the state, affected by the law will be asked to participate in it.

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Mrs. Lennie Hyatt returned home from Seymour this morning. Mrs. Hyatt accompanied a party of Seymour friends to Cincinnati, where they witnessed the production of Ben Hur. —Columbus Republican.

New kraut and pickled pork HOADLEY'S.

A good time to buy a home is right now. You can take stock in series C of the Co-operative building and loan association which starts Monday Oct. 6 and pay for your home in small weekly payments. In six years you will have your home paid for and hardly miss the money. See 13-16-18-20 W. F. PETER, See y.

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Conductor H. E. Evans, of the L. & N., is here to visit friends.

Engineer Andrew Maloney, is home from Birmingham, Ala., visiting his family.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. John Justus, of Hayden, spent Friday in Seymour.

Joseph Diggs came home this morning from Mason, Ill.

Ed Foster and wife, returned last evening from Indianapolis.

Mrs. Wesley Casey came home this morning from a visit at Medora.

John Surver who is now farming near Freetown was in town today.

David Quinn and daughter, went to Indianapolis today to visit friends.

H. W. Godfrey and wife went to Columbus this morning to visit friends.

H. M. Schwing, returned last evening from a business trip to Indianapolis.

Mrs. O. H. Montgomery and Miss Maggie Brown went to Cincinnati last evening.

Dr. W. M. Roseberry and his mother went to Louisville today to visit friends.

Miss Alice Johnson returned to Jeffersonville today from a visit to friends here.

John W. Heller and wife, near Ewing returned home Friday from Indianapolis.

Wm. F. Peter, Jr., left this morning for New Haven to enter Yale for an other year's work.

William Smith, of Sardinia, who has been visiting his son, O. M. Smith, has returned home.

Prof. F. W. Brown, of Franklin college, was here yesterday visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Amelia Brandt went to Columbus last evening to visit her sister, Mrs. John Fehring.

C. E. McCrady and two sons, Edward and Gaylord, will spend tomorrow at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Will Steward, who has visited her parents at Surprise, returned to Bedford last evening.

Miss Susan Rhoads, who has been visiting Corydon friends returned to Cortland last evening.

Jefferson Young and wife of Shelbyville, who have been here visiting friends, returned home Friday.

Dr. C. E. Trent, of Freetown, was the guest of H. H. Trent at Elizabethtown last night.—Columbus Times.

Mrs. Andrew Day, of Washington City, who has been here some time visiting friends and relatives has returned home.

Miss Nellie McDonald, daughter of William McDonald who has been visiting friends, here returned to St. Louis today.

Miss Alice Schotz of Cincinnati, returned home this afternoon after visiting in the family of Joseph Fettig and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Johnson arrived this morning to visit H. C. Johnson and wife and other relatives and friends.

Henry Hovis, of New Bellville, was in town today trading and added his name to the list of regular readers of the REPUBLICAN.

Mrs. Peter Heiler, of Riley county, Kansas, to which place she went forty years ago, is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henry P. Miller.

Mrs. Rouff, of New Albany, and Mrs. Conrad, of Louisville, who have visited the former's daughter, Mrs. L. G. Heins, left for their homes this morning.

Charles McDonald with his brother and sister, children of the late James A. McDonald, are moving to town today and will live at the corner of Seventh and Chestnut street. They will attend school here this winter.

To Meet Competition.

The Big Four Railroad Company is said to have offered to inaugurate an interurban passenger service either by electricity or steam on its Cairo division between Danville and Ridge farm, a distance of seventeen miles. The offer is contingent upon the Ridge Farm people centering at their town, short electric lines to neighboring villages and is made to compete with Terre Haute and Danville street-car system, which are rapidly approaching each other with interurban lines paralleling the Big Four from Danville to Ridge Farm.

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PROGRESS IN THE PHILIPPINES.

J. Benj. Robertson Writes of the March of Civilization in those Distant Islands.

BAYOMBONG, LUZON, P. I., July 21, 1902.

EDITOR SEYMOUR REPUBLICAN:

He who works in the states for a low salary sells only his labor. He who accepts a position in these islands, of, and rights to civilized society. It is not some one thing or other that makes barbarism odious to civilized man. It is the sum of an endless number of differences which makes the civilized a pleasure and the other life a displeasure. The privileges of schools, churches, security of life, stability of institutions should not be sold for a trifle.

However there is nothing but praise to be spoken of the agriculture and commercial advantages of these islands. Advancing civilization will very soon make this land an invisable possession. This land will more than repay in dollars and cents all that our nation expends here. And to him who will lay aside for a few years his privileges of civilization this land will give reward.

The people of this province are obedient citizens of the United States. They are peaceable and generous and very hospitable. The six American teachers of this province have never had any occasion to use any weapon upon a native. And in fact, the constabulary, who are ever hunting for trouble, have, contrary to the old proverb, not been able to find it here.

And when we take into consideration the facts that the people here never were educated, that their language is very limited, and that their knowledge of the outside world is practically nothing, we feel that they are to be praised for their present endeavors. They are eager for education and considering their former state we must say that they are very apt to learn. From our standpoint the people are not civilized nor educated. But from their point of view they have advanced more within the last four years than in the four preceding centuries. In fact no country has made a more rapid progress within the last four years than has this. But even now they are only in the "A, B, C's" of civilization.

This people has all yet to learn. They must learn to talk, to work, to think, to be self dependent, and to tell the truth. They do not even know how to sow their accustomed crops but ever await the orders of the local government before they proceed to sow or to reap. We shall speak of the people and their education later.

Yours respectfully,

J. BENJ. ROBERTSON.

Changed Conditions.

Rev. M. L. Haines, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of Indianapolis, in speaking of his trip to Europe mentions the great change in the consideration of American affairs by the English people as shown in the columns of their newspapers. He says:

"Twenty-three years ago, when I visited Great Britain and the continent, about all the information one could secure from the newspapers of the happenings at home amounted to one paragraph of telegraph news in the London papers. I remember how disappointing it was to look through columns of Australian and Indian news to find American news in one corner of a page, which always read 'Cotton so much, wheat so much,' and ended with 'Dr. Tanner is how on the twenty-third day of his fast,' and then to pick up the papers the next day and find the same thing, with only the addition of one day to Dr. Tanner's fasting period. Now all of this is changed and the London and continental papers devote much space to American news and

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Low fares to Des Moines, Iowa, will be effected via Pennsylvania Lines for the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. Meeting. For information about rates, date of trains, apply to local ticket agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

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Spanish War Veterans National Army, Detroit, Mich., Sept. 23-25. The B. & O. S-W. will sell excursion tickets to D. troit and return Sept. 20, 21, 22. Good to return Sept. 26, 1902.

Excursion to Cleveland, O. The B. & O. S-W. will sell excursion tickets to Cleveland, Ohio, and return Sept. 26th and 27th, account of the Hungarian celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of Louis Kosuth, at one fare for the round trip, good to return Sept. 29th, 1902, and by depositing ticket with joint agent at Cleveland and paying a fee of 50 cents, will be extended to Oct. 28th, 1902.

Fall Festival, Cincinnati, Ohio. The B. & O. S-W. will sell excursion tickets to Cincinnati and return Sept. 23rd to 25th at \$3.50 for the round trip, good to return Sept. 30th, 1902. On Sept. 16, 17, 19, 22, 24 and 26th tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, good to return on date of sale.

Wholesale Druggists Association Monterey, Cal. Tickets on sale to San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 28th, 29th 30th and Oct. 1st, Good to return Nov. 15th, 1902. Fare

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WILL HAVE TO ANSWER

William Meyer, Defaulting President of Last Year's Base Ball Association Under Arrest.

He Was Taken In Chicago and Returned to Fort Wayne to Face Charges.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Sept. 20.—William Meyer, defaulting president of the Western Base Ball Association in 1901, was brought here yesterday by Deputy Sheriff, Ryan, who arrested him at his home in Chicago.

He was charged in an indictment with embezzling \$500 from the Fort Wayne club. Bond was fixed at \$1,000 and was signed by William Kaough. Meyer said that he had made an offer to the baseball people to settle, but declined to say what that was. He owns each of the eight clubs \$500 and \$700, collected for association expenses. The date for the trial has not been set.

GHOULS AT WORK

Indianapolis Neighborhood Again Visited By Grave Robbers.

Indianapolis, Sept. 20.—People living in Irvington and east of the city are excited over reports that a number of graves in the Anderson cemetery between Irvington and Brightwood, have been robbed. Investigation showed that the grave of Stella Middleton, a sixteen-year-old colored girl, had been opened and the body stolen, and other graves in the cemetery seem to have been disturbed. The body of Stella Middleton was found in the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons.

An Unprecedented Suit.

Anderson, Ind., Sept. 20.—Farmer J. S. Stoner has sued Farmer Jacob Arnett for \$200 damages for "changing the disposition of the plaintiff's horse." The suit is said to be unprecedented. Both farmers live in Boone township, Madison county. Stoner alleges that one day in August, 1901, he hitched a gentle horse to a fence along a roadside. Arnett came along the road with his traction engine and the horse ran away. Since that day, Stoner avers, his former gentle horse has been unsafe to drive and is practically unfit for general purposes.

No Reason Given.

Portland, Ind., Sept. 20.—Albertus Showmaker, aged thirty-five, married and father of four children, committed suicide at his home south of Salamanca, Shoemaker had been to Fort Recovery, Ohio. He returned home, ate hearty supper and a while afterward remarked to his wife that he believed he would go hunting. Later in the evening he pulled a revolver from his pocket, placed the muzzle against his head and fired, dying instantly. His wife sent for physicians, but it was too late. No reason can be assigned for the act.

Creates Surprise.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 20.—The returning of indictments against Wm. J. Hearin and Mrs. Alice O'Malley at Philadelphia for larceny caused a decided surprise here. The St. Joseph county grand jury had adjourned for the September term without returning indictments, owing to lack of evidence and the prospective expense to this county should the cases come up for trial.

FAIR EXCHANGE.

A New Back for an Old One—How it is Done in Seymour.

Sometimes the back aches with a dull, indescribable feeling making you weary and restless; sometimes pain shoots across the region of the kidneys, and again the loins are so lame to stoop is agony. No use plastering or rubbing the back in this condition. You cannot reach the cause. To exchange a bad back for a new and stronger one, follow the example of this Seymour citizen.

Mrs. John Owen, corner of Baech and Jackson streets, says: "I suffered dreadfully from my back and kidneys and there were pains in my head. I doctored and doctored but received no permanent benefit. My kidneys were out of order, the secretions were annoying and my rest was much disturbed at night. I found that my heart was being affected as time went by. On learning of Doan's Kidney Pills sold by C. W. Milhous I procured a box, although I had little expectation of finding relief. I was more than gratified when I found they promptly benefited me, relieved me of pain in my back, strengthened the kidneys and banished annoyance from the secretions."

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Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50 cents a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D., are on every package.

RUBBER HISTORY.

Man That Came With Columbus Saw Haitians Playing Ball.

The world was a long time learning the uses and value of rubber," says H. E. Armstrong in Almoe's. "For two centuries after the Spaniards saw the gum in the hands of natives of the new world it was little more than a curiosity. Old Herrea, who went with Columbus on his second voyage, made a note of an elastic ball which was molded from the gum of a tree. At their games the nude Haitians made it bound high in the air. The Aztecs were familiar with the gum and called it ule, and from them the Spaniards learned to smear it on their coats to keep out the wet. They had crossed the seas for gold and never dreamed of a time when the sticky milk the uncouth Indians drew from strange trees would be worth more than the treasure of the hills."

"Hired them?"

"Yes, hired them. We have in this city an enterprising collector of colonial junk who makes a business of renting out family glory to all who were unfortunate enough to be born without it."

"Whew!" was the only comment the astonished Baltimore could utter.

And doubtless many Philadelphians would be moved to say "Whew!" if they could learn how many members of the Quaker City social elect are constrained to seek the assistance of the heirloom dealer when they wish to give a brilliant function.

It is a deception that is forced upon them, for unless you have distinguished appearing forbears you stand little chance of penetrating the sacred precincts of the local fashionable set.

Ancestry, not cash, is the open sesame, and even if a man can claim some sort of a family tree his pretensions are questioned unless he can show some of the furniture or portraits that his forefather brought with him on the American frontier or the Welcome.

Of course if the two vessels named had been as large as the Great Eastern and had been loaded with nothing but heirlooms they couldn't have carried half the stock needed to launch the descendants of Pilgrim fathers into safety. Hence the need of an heirloom dealer.

He has his warrooms in Pine street in a part of the city which was once the center of fashion, but is now deserted by that element in consequence of the westward movement of the city's elect.

Ostensibly he is a curio dealer, but his revenue is mainly derived from furnishing and hanging the walls of fashionable dwellings with century old portraits.

This clever manipulator of men's vanities has ancient, straight backed furniture and copper kettles and snuffers for candles and bullseye watches and similar relics of ancient grandeur, all at your disposal for a night, when you, poor fellow, with money, but no ancestors, want your friends to know what an old family yours is! He also has rare furnishings for libraries and drawing rooms which you may rent if you have the price.

It matters not from what part of the country the applicant hails or what particular descent he wishes to claim, his needs are promptly filled.

For those who wish to pose as ideal descendants of the stanch old colonial patriots who fought the stamp tax and defied the power of King George at Bunker Hill and drew up the Declaration there is especially attractive stock.

For the haughty cavalier who "came over" with Lord Delaware there are costumes and furniture and portraits of more elaborate style, as befits the past of emigrants who in England basked in the favor of the king and were participants in brilliant court ceremonial.

The Quaker City allegiance to the honored memory of William Penn is a sentiment that the curio dealer has been careful to cherish.

On his walls he has portraits of studious looking Quakers. On his shelves are modest Quaker clocks that did service in the days when the founder was exchanging thirty blankets for Philadelphia.

There are Quaker walking sticks, tinder boxes, documents on all subjects, household utensils a legion.

It is true that this system of supplying ancestors has its disadvantages. Contretemps such as the one revealed at the beginning of this article are bound to occur. The hawklike eye of a connoisseur, trained to recognize instantly the value, authenticity and history of antiques, often pierces the deception and remembers seeing the "treasured family heirlooms" some where else. But in the main people are gullible, and the wealthy but plebian aspirant for social honors vaunts the blueness of his blood and points with pride to his hired heirlooms without much danger of discovery.

And meanwhile the crafty Pine street dealer smiles, waxes rich and echoes a celebrated remark of Puck's regarding the average intelligence of mortals.—Philadelphia North American.

The Hen's Plaint.

"What's the matter?" asked the rooster. "More absentmindedness?"

"Yes," replied the hen. "I can never find things where I lay them."—Philadelphia Record.

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